



U.S. Serial No. 10/712,430

REMARKS

The above priority claim has been corrected to add reference to Provisional Application No. 60/097,635. Although such clarification is not believed to be necessary, the above priority claim also clarifies that the insert requested at paragraph 9 of the transmittal sheet filed with the above application was to add an additional priority claim rather than delete the existing priority claim, and to combine the previous priority claim and the added priority claim in a single sentence.

If there are any outstanding issues that might be resolved by an interview or an Examiner's amendment, the Examiner is requested to call Applicants' attorney at the telephone number shown below.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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